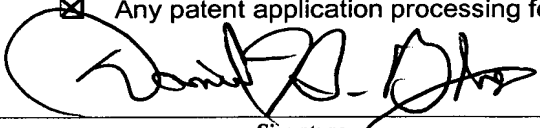
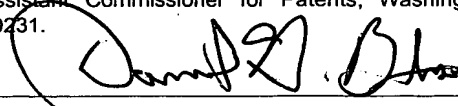


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the pending paragraph beginning on page 1, lines 5 through 7 with the following:

The present application is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/363,062, filed July 29, 1999, which is a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/065,912, filed April 24, 1998 and entitled "AIR BAG ASSEMBLY".

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